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WYOMING STOCK GROWERS'
ASSOCIATION.

Round Up, 1884.

District No. 13

Sam Moses Foreman.

Cris Stortz Assistant.

No. 13

Commence at the Sidney crossing, on Running Water, work to the head; thence to the head of Indian creek, working down to Camp creek; thence across to the S—E ranch, working all the tributaries of Indian creek; thence to the head of Hat creek, down to the O ranch, then down to the —T. Commence June 1. Fall round up to commence October 15.

Sam Moses, foreman; Cris. Stortz, assistant foreman.

INSTRUCTIONS TO FOREMEN.

ROUND UP DISTRICTS.

1. The Association shall divide the Territory into round up districts. They shall elect a foreman for each round up, and, if they think necessary, an assistant foreman. Each foreman elected shall control both the Spring and Fall round ups.

2. There shall be two round ups each year: one in the Spring and one in the Fall. The Association shall decide how each round up shall be worked; that is to say, it shall fix the time when, and the place where each round up shall begin its work; and how each shall be worked, and no round up can begin at any other place, nor work in any other way than directed by the Association.

3. The boundary lines of each round up district can not be changed in any way except by the Association; nor can any change be made in the way any district shall be worked.

FOREMAN'S AUTHORITY.

4. The foreman is given the charge and control of the round up. All persons working in a round up must obey the orders of the foreman in so far as such orders refer to the working thereof.

IF FOREMAN FAILS TO SERVE, MANNER OF ELECTING
HIS SUCCESSOR.

5. If a round up foreman, for any reason, fails to serve, then the owners of cattle whose home range is in such round up district, and who shall be working in such round up at the time, and if absent the person present and having charge of their interests at the time, shall elect a competent person, one who is acquainted with the country to be worked, to serve as the foreman; and the person thus elected shall have the same authority as though elected by the Association. The person receiving a majority of the votes shall be declared elected.

MUST BRAND CALVES.


6. The foreman shall take especial pains in caring for branded cattle the ownership of which is unknown; and if any such shall have calves belonging to them, he shall brand or cause to have branded such calves in the brand of the mother. Any person working in the round up, who shall be ordered to brand such calves in the brand of the mother and shall not do so, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by fine or imprisonment, or both.

MAVERICKS.

7. A maverick is any head of neat cattle, regardless of its age, found running at large without a mother and without a brand.

DISPOSITION OF MAVERICKS.

8. All mavericks shall be taken in charge by the foreman. At the end of every ten days the mavericks shall be sold by the foreman at auction to the

highest bidder therefor per head for the entire lot. The sale shall be made in one lot, which must comprise all the mavericks found up to the time of the sale. The person purchasing the mavericks must pay the foreman therefor in cash, or checks made payable to the order of Thos. Sturgis, Secretary, and certified as good by the bank on which they are drawn, immediately upon their being struck off to him, and in no case shall any maverick be branded until the foreman has received full pay therefor. The foreman shall then make two bills of sale on the blanks printed in the back of this book, for the lot of mavericks thus sold, one, marked "original," to be given to the purchaser, and one, marked "duplicate," to be returned to the Secretary of the Association with the money or checks received therefor; and he shall also brand said mavericks with the brand of the purchaser, and also, on the left side of the neck, brand each with the brand of the Association. The brand is made thus: . None but the Association can use or claim this brand on the left side of the neck.

MUST KEEP ACCURATE ACCOUNT OF MAVERICKS.

9. The foreman shall keep a true and accurate account in this book of each maverick sold and branded, showing each one branded, its age as near as may be, sex, color and grade, which statement must be made at the time of the branding. At the close of the round up, this statement must be signed by the foreman, sworn to as full, true and correct, in the form attached hereto, and returned to the Association.

BOND OF FOREMAN AND ITS CONDITIONS.

10. The foreman must give a bond in the sum of

three thousand dollars, with one or more sureties, to be approved, conditioned for the full and faithful performance of his duties; and that he will pay over to the Association all monies received by him for mavericks; and it is made the further duty of the foreman to transmit the money and checks thus received by him, together with the duplicate bill of sale, to the Association, within fifteen days after its receipt.

PAY OF FOREMAN.

11. His commission shall be 10 per cent. for looking after the mavericks, selling and branding them.

FAILURE TO PERFORM DUTIES, LIABILITY OF.

12. Any violation of the law by the foreman, any refusal to obey its mandates, or any failure on his part to do and perform all of the provisions thereof, is a violation of his bond, and renders the sureties of the foreman responsible to the Association in the sum of three thousand dollars.

REDRESS OF OWNER OF ANY ANIMAL SOLD AS A
MAVERICK.

13. After the sale of any animal, if its ownership shall be ascertained, the purchaser nevertheless retains the animal, but the money paid for it shall be by the Association returned to the owner. Therefore all sales must be made at so much per head for the lot.

REPORTS OF SALES OPEN TO INSPECTION.

14. The statements and reports of the foreman shall be kept on file by the Association at its office in Cheyenne, and shall be open to the inspection of all.

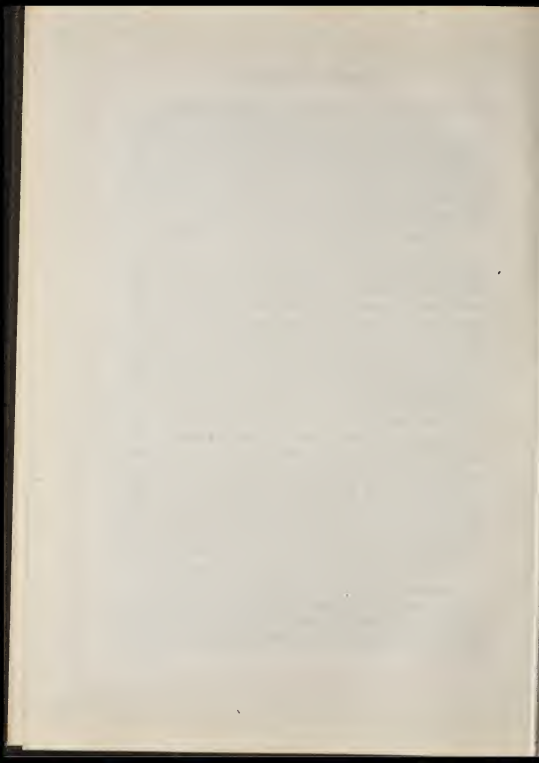
CRIME TO BRAND DURING CERTAIN SEASONS.

15. It is illegal to brand any animal between the fifteenth day of February and the beginning of the round up of each year, and not then in advance of the workings of the round up; and if any person shall thus brand he is guilty of a crime, and shall be punished by fine or imprisonment, or both.

REPORT INTERFERENCE AND VIOLATION.

16. You are particularly requested to guard the rights of cattle owners in your district; and to this end you are earnestly advised to be vigilant in your duties, not forgetting that the responsibility of any failure rests with you, and therefore maintaining your own rights, and working your round up without fear or favor, with order and system. Any interference with the control of the round up, or any interference with your control over the mavericks found, or any violation by any person or persons of any provision of the law, you will at once report by letter to the Secretary of the Association. Your attention is especially called to the fact that in working a round up individual interests may conflict, jealousies may be generated and personal favors strongly insisted upon; but in each of these you must not forget that you are representing the interests of all, and acting for all, and that you can only be successful in doing your full duty, by closely obeying the above instructions, which consist only in stating the provisions of the statutes in plain words, and never allowing individual interests to interfere with the interests of all.

The Association will uphold you in each and all acts done by you in the faithful discharge of your duty.



RECORD OF

Spring Round Up, District No. *13*

DATE.	SEX.	AGE.	COLOR.
June 25	1 female	5 months	Black and white spotted -
" "	1 "	6 months	Red and white spotted
" "	1 male	1 year	Red
" "	" "	"	white

MAVERICKS.

Sam N. Moses - Foreman.

CLASS.	PURCHASER.	
	NAME.	BRAND.
half breed Texas -	<i>Wm Cook</i>	<i>60</i>
Half breed Texas.	" "	"
Native	" "	"
"	" "	"
<i>Sam N. Moses.</i>		

RECORD OF

Round Up, District No.

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AFFIDAVIT OF FOREMAN.

being first duly sworn, on his oath says that the above and foregoing statement of Mavericks, by him subscribed, is just, full and true; that the same truly represents and shows the exact number branded by him in the brands of said purchasers upon the General Round up; and also truly shows the age of each thereof, as nearly as he could judge, and the sex and color of each, and that affiant branded, or caused to be branded, in the brands of said purchasers all Mavericks found on said round up; and that each thereof was branded on the left side of the neck with the brand of the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, pursuant to law, thereby showing such animals had been sold as Mavericks.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ A. D. 188 _____

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1810

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of

DOLLARS to me in hand paid by I have this day sold and delivered to being branded

by virtue of their bid therefor of \$ head of Mavericks, (each per head,

said bid being the highest made for said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the disposal of the same pursuant to law: said Mavericks having been found by the General Round Up of District No. of which I am the Foreman, and which are described in detail in my report of said sale to the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, to which reference is hereby made.

Witness my hand this day of , 188.

Foreman of Round Up, District No.



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head of Mavericks, (each per head,

said bid being the highest made for said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the disposal of the same pursuant to law, said Mavericks having been found by the General

Round Up of District No.

of which I am the Foreman, and

which are described in detail in my report of said sale to the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, to which reference is hereby made.

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

1844

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I have this day sold and delivered to

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said bid being the highest made for said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the disposal of the same pursuant to law: said Mavericks having been found by the General

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

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FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of

DOLLARS to me in hand paid by

I have this day sold and delivered to

DUPLICATE

head of Mavericks, (each

being branded

by virtue of their bid therefor of \$

per head,

said bid being the highest made for said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the disposal of the same pursuant to law: said Mavericks having been found by the General

Round Up of District No.

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which are described in detail in my report of said sale to the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, to which reference is hereby made.

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day of

, 188

Foreman of Round Up, District No.

1919

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of

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I have this day sold and delivered to
being branded

head of Mavericks, (each
per head,

said bid being the highest made ~~by~~ **IN** said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the
disposal of the same pursuant to ~~law~~ **IN** said Mavericks having been found by the General
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which are described in detail in ~~my~~ **IN** report of said sale to the Wyoming Stock Growers'
Association, to which reference is ~~hereby~~ **IN** made.

Witness my hand this day of , 188.

Foreman of Round Up, District No.

ORIGINAL.

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of

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being branded

said bid being the highest made

disposal of the same pursuant to law: said Mavericks having been found by the General

Round Up of District No.

of which I am the Foreman, and

which are described in detail in my report of said sale to the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, to which reference is hereby made.

Witness my hand this

day of

, 188

Foreman of Round Up, District No.

2. TABACCO

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of

DOLLARS to me in hand paid by

I have this day sold and delivered to

being branded

FINAL

by virtue of their bid therefor of \$ per head,

said bid being the highest made for said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the disposal of the same pursuant to law: said Mavericks having been found by the General Round Up of District No. of which I am the Foreman, and

which are described in detail in my report of said sale to the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, to which reference is hereby made.

Witness my hand this day of , 188

Foreman of Round Up, District No.

JAN 1940

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of

DOLLARS to me in hand paid by
I have this day sold and delivered to head of Mavericks, (each
being branded by virtue of their bid therefor of \$ per head,

said bid being the highest made for said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the
disposal of the same pursuant to law: said Mavericks having been found by the General
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Witness my hand this day of , 188.

Foreman of Round Up, District No.

THE END OF THE WORLD

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

1901

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

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being branded

ORIGINAL.

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

JANUARY

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of

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I have this day sold and delivered to

DUPLICATE

by virtue of their bid therefor of \$ per head,
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said bid being the highest made for) said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the
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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

2008/05/01

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

1910

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Foreman of Round Up, District No. .

1870

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

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I have this day sold and delivered to being branded

said bid being the highest made of or said Mavericks at the public sale held by me for the disposal of the same pursuant to Law: said Mavericks having been found by the General

Round Up of District No.

of which I am the Foreman, and

which are described in detail in my report of said sale to the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, to which reference is hereby made.

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

1871

FOREMAN'S BILL OF SALE.

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DUPLICATE

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Witness my hand this

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

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Foreman of Round Up, District No.

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